

REMARKS

The specification of the subject application has been amended to add appropriate headings. The original claims 1-8 have been canceled, and new claims 9-23, in accordance with U.S. practice, have been added. There are now 3 independent claims and 15 total claims pending in the application. Entry of the new claims prior to examination and prior to calculation of the filing fee is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

John Roger SAMPSON
Applicant

JONES, TULLAR & COOPER, P.C.
Attorneys for Applicant

Date: July 24, 2000

Colin D. Barnitz
Colin D. Barnitz
Reg. No. 35,061

JONES, TULLAR & COOPER, P.C.
P.O. Box 2266 Eads Station
Arlington, Virginia 22202
(703) 415-1500

09582332 072400